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South and Contral American hat. The veritable Panama is manufactured from the Planta de Toquilla, or Carludovica Palmata, which grows wild in the swamps of Central America. Of late years this plant, which is low and shrubby in appearance, has been cultivated extensively, but without the success which was anticipated. They mature in about a year and a half, and live to the age of forty or fifty.

The leaves used in making hats are the young ones which are plucked before they have fully expanded. They are then boiled in water in which a little lemon juice has been mixed, and alterwards hung up to dry in an airy though shady spot. Throughout the operation of hat plaiting the straw is never exposed to the glare of the sun, for the hat would have in that case a streaky appearance, all the strips not being bleached to the same purity. When the leaves are almost dry they are split up into very narrow strips all of the same width, and then again tied in a bunch and left to dry. When this state is quite reached the plaiting of the hats can commence. This work is done almost outirely by women, four of them being employed on each hat. One of the best quality will take many weeks to finish, for they cannot be worked on during all the hours of the day. After the plaiting is finished the hats are cleaned with sonp and lemon juice, polished and then sent to the market. The natives employed in this industry declare that the most difficult part of the whole week is the boiling of the straw, which con stitutes a real art. It is only after this stage that they can decide the quality of the hat, on which its future and the plaiters' wages depend. A market is held in the principal town of each district every Saturday morning and it is gencrally crowded by the inhabitants of the country side bringing their hats for sale. The largest market of the bat industry of the West Indies and Central and South America is at Asoquay, in Ecuador, where last ye r more than five thousand dozen were sold. There are comparatively few hat manufactories, the majority of the work being done in the houses by the

The Republic of Ecuador is rapidly approaching the first place among the hat-producing countries, both in the quality of the goods and in the number manufactured. Besides the great number exported, almost an equal number are retained for home wear and go across the border to Peru. The handicap to Ecuador is the total absence of a good port and a great portion of the supply for Europe finds its way across the whole continent of South America to be shipped from Para on the Atlantic coast. It is, however, confidently expected that in a few years, when the l'anams Capal is at last finished, the port of Guayaquil will become the principal port of the South American Pacific coast, and in that event the position, of Founder would be immensely

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principal port of distribution for the European It is likely that the hat industry will continue to increase and bring a considerable amount of prosperity into the interior of a very poor country, It would seem that it can only be limited in its expansion by the amount of eriam enditeria harritolo" and Da the apilita of the natives to turn that straw into hats .- Pall

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> By Order, TAMES CRAIK,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 28th May, 1908. .

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NOTICE.

WING to the GROUND being opened up in connection with the relaying of Drains, both COURSES will be CLOSED until further police.

> By Order, F. HOUGH,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 28th May, 1908.

SANTA CASA DA MISERICORDIA OL MACAO.

NOTICE

TT is hereby notified for public information that, at Three o'clock in the afternoon of the 30th June of the current year, before the Board of Directors of the Santa Casa da Misericordia of the Macao, the adjudication by Public Auction, will be made of the

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ANTONIO MARIA INNOCENCIO Apply to-MAHER.

Secretary to the Board of Directors, Santa Casa da Misericordia. Dated at Macao.

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CHINESK REPUGHES.

WILL NOT BE SENT BACK TO CHINA. LEADERS STATEMENT.

The Singapore Free Press of 2 nd May says :- Fifty-nine of the Chinese refugees who arrived from Saigon on Monday were marched into the Third Magistrate's Court, yesterday morning, by a strong escort of European and native police. They walked two by two very quetly and squatted on the floor in a long than stay up in air 2 hours 14 minutes and double line facing his worship, Mr. Colman.

sympathetic Chinese. Speaking through Mr. Kum Tsun, the Can-

tonese interpreter, the leader of the refugees made a very interesting statement. It was as follows: -" Last year on the 27th day of the tenth moon (about November or December) our Chief sent us to attack the Chin Nam forts in China and we attacked these forts for several days. We took one of the forts. Because the amounition did. nut come as we expected and as promised by our Chief Sun Mun, we returned to Annam and Cochin China. When we got to Annam territory under the French, the French officers, Sergeant Mijors and Sergeants, sent us on to Hanoi to be handed over to our (hiels, who were stationed there. When we got to Hanoi, our Chiefs got houses for us to stay in and gave us \$3 a month each for our expenses and also gave us food. We stayed there."

"What wis the object of those operations?" IN ing House, Furnished. Rent moderate. enquired his worship.

by the Menchurians, and our object was snatch back what people had taken away. We are Chinese and we want our Chine."

Mr. Hastings Rhodes, accompanied by the Count de Bondy, the French Consul, and the senior officer in charge of the French gendarmes, entered the Court.

Mr. Rhodes: - "The sixty Chinese in Court are refugees who arrived here by the "Australien" from French territory. The police prevented them from landing here under Section 3 of the Exclusion Ordinance."

His worship:-"What year?" Mr. Rhodes :- "No. 9 of 1905."

The Deputy Public Prosecutor proceeded to read the Section referred to. Continuing, he explained that these people were political refugees and had been binished from French territory. Under Section 3 the police had power to detain them for forty-eight hours and that expired at 1 p.m. that day (Thursday). To detain them longer, permission would have to be given by a magistrate. Negotiations were going on and what would be the result he could not say. Possibly they ROAD, Central, containing 6 Rooms might be sent back to the port of debarkation -or-some-other-agreement-come-to-by-the-two Governments. (British and French?). It was pecessary for the police to have power to detain them unt I the negotiations had been settled. He would put the French Consul in the witness-box

His worship : -!! Very well, I will take the evidence." JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Lv.

The Count de Bondy, the French Consul, produced an order for the banishment of sixtyone people from Tonking. Prisoner No. 9 did not arrive here. Witness believed he escaped in Tongking.

Mr. Colman :- ! Is this the original order of banishment?" "They are only political banishment pri-

soners and not criminals. The telegram I. re- | the toth June, 1908, at H.M.'s Naval Yard ceived said they were reformists." "Is this the original document or a press

"It is the paper which the non-commission-

ed officer of gendarmes brought here and gave

Mr. Rhodes: - You identify the seal of the Court?" "Oh. Yes."

Inspector H. Hart of the Central Police Station said that on the 19th he received sixty Chinese from the C.P.O. Tan Tuck Quay was sent to the hospital on Wednesday morning There were fifty nine in Court.

His worship told the Cantonese interpreter to enquire if all the prisoners admitted that they were banished from French territory.

No. 10, DES YŒUX ROAD CENTRAL, -"Hi, hi," (yes, yes) replied the prisoners ""Mr. Rhodes, how long a postponement do

> you require?" asked his worship. "About 'a week, pending an agreement between the two Governments."

> There is no question of sending them back to China?" "Oh no, your worship, that is to be avoided.

That is what the negotiations are about." The refugees were informed that they were

remanded for a week. They would not be sent back to China. The first or chief refugee, r plied:-When

we left Saigon we understood we were to be let loose here and could do what we liked. His worship : -" Yes."

The refugees were then removed to the cells at the Central Police Station. They did not give the sightest trouble. Most of them are young men, but there are one or two elders among them. They are natives of Kwang Tung and Kwang Si Provinces. Some of them INTERNATIONAL BLEEPING CAR are very intelligent looking.

BAGLISH AS SHE IS "JAPPED."

SOME RECENT INVENTIONS,

The following letter on the subject of recent javentions was received from "" A Japanese Schoolboy 1," One machinery of name called. "gyroscope" is very immediately to revolu-Moniso in circles. This wonderful whirler can be put on any railroad train, and beholt | with TTAVING been appointed AGENTS for immediate quickness the n train proceed along on one wheel, Irish gentleman what invent that gyroscope promise for it to do everything It will abolish all crimes of sailroad, locluding Polician car posters. How Harrician will be earl land of bein gyrascops railroads, because may will be sun an our fall. Reliconte with & !

Till can morely be fined a as much by interstate.

commerce commission The week Wr. Editor, them mysterious prohiembio! Mechanical: Flight have been solved By Hons. Bell, Farman, Wright, Santos Dumont and Ben F. Tillman. Lighter-thannic balloons is no longer consider in vogy Il atter than-air machines is now fashion able for fight. Hon. Bell make sensationus flight of 8 seconds and travel 14 feet breaking New Je sey record and machine. Ilon. Till trivel from Panama Canal to Philippine Tari The Court was crowded with interested and landing with considerable jur on the Administration. 7 his break Congressional record.

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Mr. Editor, them is but a few number of Scientifick re- evations, discover by me in this morning press. I am not doubtful that I could found a great number of more by looking more vellow colour of news. Science advances, Mr. Sir, according to speed of paper for which you subscribe to:

In age of Wm. lennings Bryan there was one finous Frenchman, tion, Jules Verne, who write polobrious adventure book about flying to moon on cannonball, tripping from New York to Pekin by subway and annexation of America to Africa by floating islands. In age of Roosevelt, Hon. Verne is consider one very "The country of Chinamen was taken away" truthful old gentleman, but too slow and quiet about telling facts. Any Hop, Feporter on newspaper what cannot discover more exciting scientifick "news for morning edition would be At this stage, the Deputy Public Prosecutor, | suppressed for lack of talents and put to write ing real estate forecasts on back column.

### Auctions.

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HUGHES & HOUGH, : Auctioneers, 📉 Hongkong, 28th May, 1918.

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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MAY 30, 1908.

### AN OPPORTUNITY FOR HONGKONG.

... Elsewhere in this issue we publish a valued communication from our Correspondent at Taipeh, Formosa, on the trade in Japanese silver-yens-between-that Island and the Colony of Hongkong. The possibilities arising from that trade will, no doubt, be seized by those whose immedate business it is to profit by the information which the energy of our Taipeh representative has succeeded in placing before our readers. We are informed that in addition to the steps taken by the Formosan Governtion of silver coins into the Island, the Government have lately issued instructions to all the prefects in Formosa to give warning to the people in their respective districts regarding the acceptance of silver coins. In effect the instructions are that there having lately been a considerable. number: of importers of silver coins conpleces into Formosa, and the merchants dealing in tea, rice or sugar, taking plo, who value silver more than any other form of currency, and by circulating false rumours, are now obtaining profit by using Silver Yen! and foreign coins to the loss edeayour to sire warning to the people was bought to the value of X200 (D)) and last

very careful not to accept the illegal silver coins (Japanese subsidiary coins excluded), and thereby sustaining loss. I he Government consider that the circulation of such illegal coins is detrimental to the consolidation of the currency system in Formosa: Formerly there were severa kinds of coius in circulation in For mosa, and the Government, seeing the inconvenience and abuse arising from the use of mixed coins, took steps to thoroughly re-adjust the currency system of the Island. by allowing the "Taiwan Ginko" (Bank) to issue bank-notes convertible into gold coins a few years ago. This step put a stop to all such inconveniences and abuse and succeeded in driving the illegal silver trader out of the Island. However the circulation of these coins amounts at present to some 20 or 30% of all the amount of bank notes in circulation in Formosa, and is again threatening to bring about the same condition which prevailed in former times. This is considered a great inconvenience to the business circle and also detrimental to the industries and against the idea of the Government. Therefore the people should be advised to comply with the wishes of the Government and act accordingly. The official notification stated that those who accept the illegal; coins will sustain loss. Most of the farmers in Formosa do not understand the actual value of silver, but they attach much to the brilliant appearance of the metal, and from long custom and the lavour with which the metal is regarded they are very easy to be deceived by crafty merchants to their disadvantage. Notwithstanding that the Government is constantly declaring the official value of "Silver Yen" in accordance with the value of silver bullion in the markets of the world. the market value set between the farmers and merchants is widely different from that of the Government. For instance, brokers dealing in tea, rice, or sugar, buy silver coins from the importers at cheap prices, and when buying tea, rice or sugar, as the case may be, they pay to the farmers using silver coins, at the exchange of 95 or 96 or over. The simple reason for such a strange practice is that the farmers are ignorant and accept the silver coins only on account of their appearance without regard to their intrinsic value. Such in detail has been the warning widely circulated by a paternal Government. The Taiwan Aichi Nichi Shimpo concurs in the view taken by the Formosan Government and believes that "it is quite clear that those accepting silver coins are losing, and the only remedy for this abuse is to stop the circulation of illegal coins, and endeavour to induce the ignorant and poor farmers to use only the bank notes issued by the Taiwan Ginko, which are at once convertible for gold coins on demand." It is evident that where their circulation is so generally dis couraged the market value of the yen in Formosa is certain to depreciate and therein lies the opportunity-for-merchants-and-exchange banks having dealings with Hongkong gathering in the proscribed tokens for exportation to countries where yen is at a premium in consequence of the rate of exchange now ruling.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

MR. W. F. Ford has been appointed a surveyer of boilers of unlicensed steamships under 60 tons, during the absence on leave of Mr. Thomas Neave.

THE master of the the German s.s. Phranging reports having passed a large water-logged unk showing one mast above water in latitude 14°-15' North; longitude 1/2° east.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Sanitary Board is summoned for 4.15 p.m.; on Monday, the 1st prox, for the purpose of considering the question of declaring the Dairy Farm to be free of infection.

HIB Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant G. R. Home, 3rd Middiesex Regiment, as the military member of the committee for the Wong-pel-chook and Queen's Recreation Grounds, vice Major H.

Kelsall, R.G.A.

His Excellency the Governor has given his as ent, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty the King, to the following Ordinances passed by the Legislative Council :- An Ordinance to extend the provisions of The Liquor Licenses Ordinance, 1898, and to provide for ance to amend The Evidence Ordinance :880.

A very sharp panalty was imposed by Mr. I. H. Kemp, in the Police Cour, this marning, on the hinese comprad . . , of 5 Chinese Street, who was convicted on a charge of receiving the stolen provisi ms, which had been removed from Messrs. H. Ruttonjee and Company's store in D'Aguilar Street. His Worship sent the compradore to gaol for three months with, of brains. There is ny a ch thing; as good been discovered a day or so aso. out the option of a fine. "The thief received a similar sentence

arrived at Kobe on the 19th instant form ydney, brought English gold coins valued at Licococo. The treasure was delivered to the Kobe branch of the Specie. Brok, whence was sent on to the Bank of Japan in Tokyo. This gold has been bought by the Hank of read to add to its reserve. In March las go entire the distriction that they about be I mount to the value of A 1,000,000 L

HONGKONG BANK IN

TRADE IN SILVER YEN. Lirom Our Correspondent.

AORMOSA.

Taipen (Formosa), 22nd May On 19th instant Mr. Tachikawa, an official Merchauts' Guild at Daitotel, and gave in-Oulong tea merchants unanimously agreed to merchants, who have still a large stock of silver coins, raised objections against the proposed instructions, and thus caused a beated discussion among the so present. Finally, Mr. Tachikawa delivered a detailed speech giving the history of the currency system of Formora, and concluded his address by saying, in effect that the use of the illegal silver coins is an iniquity; that they are used for the purpose of obtaining unlawful profits in the end and that such use will fesult to the disadvantage of all the people concerned. He also issued a Shanghai, Tientsin and Manila, where our restrongly-worded notification to put an end to turns were further adversely affected by change

the illicit use of these coins: [97] To show the general condition of the impor-Yen 12 per Yen 1, 00) and has been importing from Hongkong by every incoming steamer. Up to now half the amount has been brought, and owing to the steps now taken by the Govstaying here for the purpose of selling silver coins, and many brokers are scattered in the country, and also some of the importers. have sent their men to Central and Southern Formosa to dispose of their stocks. Over all these men, however, the Government will keep a strict supervision.

The rate of exchange on 14th inst. was 912, but the import of Yen 300,000 per s.s. Daifin Maru on that day brought the exchange down to 900 on the following day (15th) and gradualy to 80;, the cause being mostly due to Tin Kee being auxious to sell his stock. In Central and Southern Formosa, however, it is reported the exchange still remains at 910,

In the meantime the exchange rate in Hong-

kong was down by 3 Yen. meat's instructions were made known. Of the 14th inst. the branch office of the Hong. kong and Shanghai Bank (Samuel, Samuel. & Co.) at the request of one of the importers, sold T. T. on Hongkong amounting to answer any questions. Yen 80,000 at the cheap rate of 867 in order to obtain money for buying bills on Europe and America, which class of business the Bink intends to transact to a greater extent from this year onward. This bank took advantage of the fact that the Talwan Gin to does not negotiate the bills of the importers of silver, and has therefore obtained profit from both sides.

According to what the importers say, there seems to be still soom for import of some fucther Yen 2,000,700, in addition to the Yen 2,850,000 already in the Island, provided the exchange rate on Hongkong continues to fal as the money market is becoming brisker owing to the tea season just opened, and the first harvest of rice approaching. From the actual facts the continuous import of silver coins, during the last few months, there may be some truth in what the importers declare,

Under these circumstances, however, we may say that it was an excellent opportunity for the authorities to give such instructions at the present time.

A. THIEF'S REWARD.

COOLIE WHO FELL DOWN A WATERSPOUT DIES FROM INTURIES

Information was received from the Govern-Yau, the coolie who was bying detained on a charge of theft, committed at West Point, had died. The reader will remember that early in. the morning of the 25th instant, Leung climbed up the waterspont attached to house 130, Second Street, and was sliding down again. with a quantity of clothing tied up in a bundle. which he had slung over his shoulder, when he lost his balance and fell to the street. landed on his head. A passing policeman him taken to the hospital. Death was due a fractured skull. Deceased was about hirty. two years of age.

lack. There is no such thing as bad fock. We are so constituted that sometimes was think more clearly than at others. Day mental Potticastan Finaman of Abanders Police State THE N.Y.K. steamship Yawala maru which processes are dependent upon cour physical tion, charged the master of a dishibational condition, which sometimes allows at to wander, the Police Court this morning with the in clear, pellucid reasoning, and blunders entue. 

A. S. WATSON & CO. ZIMITHE annual meeting.

The twenty third annual ordinary genera meeting of A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd., was held at the offices of the Company Alexandra Buildings, at moon to-day for of the Formosan Government, accompanied by the purpose of receiving the report of the several, other, officials, appeared at, the Teal general managers together with a statement of accounts to the 3 st. December 1907 structions to stop the use of the so-called illegal - 'Mr." Henry Humphreys presided. There silver coins in Formosa, 60 tex merchants of were also present Hon. Sir C. P. Chater Daitotei being present on that day. The Meisrs, H. P. White, J. Scott Harston (con sulting committee), J. A. Jupp, J. A. Tarrant act in accordance with the instructions of the (acting secretary), W., T. Puddepha, J. M. E Government, However, the Powchong tea. Machado, G. Rupp, L. Guy, D. E. Clark and ... The Chairman said :- Gootlemen, The

report and statement of accounts having been

in your hands for some days, I will, with your permission, take them as read. The result of the year's working does not. I regree to say, compare favourably with recent years. We have not only had to contend with general depression of trade, but increased competition in several departments of the business. The falling off has been particularly noticeable in of premises, or alterations thereto. In Shanghal (Hongkew branch) and also in Tientain these Daitotei, made, some time ago, a contract with to pull down and rebuild our premises, neces-Guan Sang, of Hongkong, to import silver sitating our going into temporary quarters elseamounting to Yen 500,000 (at, a, commission of where. With regard to Manila I mentioned in my speech at the last annual meeting that the building improvements there were not yet! completed, and that there would be a further addition under this heading during 1907. ernment, it is considered that the price of the Owing to the stagmant condition of trade in coins will go down to \$990 per Yen 1,000 and the Philippines, the extra revenue which we Tin Kee will thus lose about 8,000 Yen on expected to obtain from increased sub-lettheir transaction. Plang Kee, of Amoy, also tings has not so far come up to our arranged at Hongkong with Hap lio Chan of expectations; consequently, it may take Daitotal, to import to the extent of Yen a little longer than I anticipated to com-3:0,000 of which Yen 190,000 has already been | pletely write off the whole of this expendishipped to Formosa and it is now said that Hap live. Though all these changes should Ho Chan has wired to Hongkong to stop the eventually prove of great benefit they have, as shipment of the balance of Yen 110,000. they were bound to do, caused temporary dis-It is interesting to know that some merchants, location of business and a decreased turnover, who came from the mainland, are now. The loss on subsidiary coins for the year amounts to \$16,508.56. Turling to the accounts, the item "Buildin; improvements" shows an addition during 1 to7 of \$31,040 88 mainly on account of Manila as above mentioned. The increase in acrated water machinery and plant amounting to \$18,948.8t has been mostly incurred in Manila and Shanghai, Your general managers with the approval of the consulting committee decided nearly a year ago to take steps with a view to closing the Foothow branch In this course they were influenced as much by the decline of Fouchow as a centre for trade as by the working results of the blanch, which had been unsatisfactory for many years. The doors of the branch were closed to business on the 88.h February last, and the final stages of life liquidation pro-Such was the condition before the Govern ceeded with. 1-am glid to be able to state that there will be little or no loss to the

> There were no questions. The Chairman proposed the adoption of the

Company through the closing of this branch

Before moving the adoption of the report and

statement of accounts, I shall be pleased to

report and accounts. Mr Machado seconded.

Carried. Mr. Jupp proposed, and Mr. Clark seconded, and it was agreed, that Mr. Francis Maitland

and Mr. W. H. Potts be re-elected auditors. The Chairman - That concludes the business of the meeting, gentlemen. Dividend warrants will be ready on Monday.

LANDLAUIES BEWARE!

A NEW TRICK PRAC' ISED IN HONGKONG

Every reader of the Honghong Telegraph is fully acquainted with the modus" perand of the "bank-note" tricksters. From what our representative was able to gather to day it would seem that the "bank-note" game having, apparently, been played out, a new trick is being played now with some degree of success. Already we are informed several women have been b'iffied, and we hope our Chinese contemporaries would take note. The ruse, as played by this pack of scoundrels, is as follows: -Two or more men call at a house, preferably those owned by women, and ask for the rent of mert Civil, Hospital to the effect that Loung la cubicle. They cannot pay more than \$5 for the room. In nearly every case the men worm reavers, and at the meeting they discussed know, fully well that there is a cubicle to let before they present themselves. The quest industry. It was also, decided to establish a tion having been settled as to the price of the self-government society of their own for the Troom, one of the men decides to "pay some administration of the village." thing in advance "-say a couple of dellars, and he tenders the landlady a SC bank-note. Have ing confidence in her supposed lodgers the landlady returns the change with many thank . " and the men now proceed to examine found him unconscious in the gutter and had the cubicle. A fees a close inspection the man, of course, do not like the topmis, thoy dark no light, elc., etc., are the laulis they, fied with the place until figuily the landidy is forced to return them, the bank-note while they WHEN one is engaged in the battle of braining in throwive her back her change. After they one has but little time to think of one's person- bad taken their departure the fundlady disal dignity, as the public defines it, although his covers to her amesement that the allver money real dignity of mind and soul, as he knows it in which she had returned to ber is nothing mote his solitary communings, may be perfectly then counterfeits. Fibwlong this game has preserved. Success means just that battle, been going on is not known but IL hay doly

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WATKINS LIMITED.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The ninth ordinary annual monting of share holders of Watkins, Ld., was held at the compapy's office, Watkins' Building, this afternoon for the purpose of receiving the report of the general managers with a statement of accounts to 31st December, 1907. Mr. G. Watkins was in the chair, there being also present Messrs. A. R. Lowr, Chan A Fook, John Lemm, Chow Hon Wah, Chun Yut Kal, and others.

The Chairman said :- Centlemen,-We now present to you our report and accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1907, printed copies of which have been circulated and which "! hope will be found quite satisfactory by shareholders. As we anticipated at the annual meeting last year, our mortgage account has been entirely wiped out, and your property known as Watkin's Buildings" paid for in full 1: the accounts there is nothing I think that requires explination. Our assets, you will notice, h ve been written down to a very low figureand your reserves increased. As to the present year's: prospects, I can only say that so lar we have no reason to feel persimistic. The continuation of the declared policy of your general managers to use all profits to reduce floating liabilities, and build up working capital, has again prevented the payment of dividend, which ters of the silver coins at Daitotei lumay be changes were unavoidable owing to the ex- otherwise they would have been justified in mentioned that Tin Kee, a tea merchant of piration of our leases and the owners deciding dividing all any shareholder has any ques tions to ask, I shall be pleased to answer them to the best of my ability. There were no questions.

Continuing the Chairman said :- And now gentlemen. I have the pleasure to move the first resolution: "That the report now presented, together with the balance sheet and pofit and loss accounts, be approved and adopted."

. The motion was seconded and passed. Messrs. A. R. Lowe and Bingham were reelected the Company's auditors. This concluded the business of the macting,

CANTON DAY BY DAY.

SEIZURE OF CARTRIDGES.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, 29th May. . Yesterday a case containing a large number of cartridges was seized by the officials in Kow | their views on this very important subject. - I Kong, in the Namboi district, and it was have, &c., brought to Capton the same day. This case of ammunition was presumably intended to be

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smuggled into the interior by sieters.

At 10.30 a.m. to day the Consul-General of the United States at Canton, Mr. L. A. Bergholz, called on U.E. Viceroy Chang It is probable that Mr. Bergholz called on the Viceray for the purpose of saying " good-bye," as he is about to leave on furlough.

PROVINCIAL EXAMINER. The New Provincial Examiner, Shen Tsengtung, did not take over the seal of office our the 27th instant as reported; he his postponed to the ist day of next moon, the 30th

TELEGRAPH.

The Canton imperial Chinese Telegraph Administration will shortly connect the por of Kongmoon with Heungshan district b telegraphic—communication,—a—distance—of about 150 H.

MILITARY INSTRUCTORS.

At the request of the Canton Viceroy six graduated military officers of the Pei Yang Squadron arrived bere festerday. These officers have been appointed to be instructors in the Canton Military Training College.

JAPANESE BOYCOTT.

The Japanese boycott feeling has by no means subsided; it continues unabated and has spread far and, wide, into the inland districts. Furing the last week meetings of y ational Disgrace were reported to have been held in Sunui and Houngshan districts. On the 27th instant there was again a remarkable meeting of National Disgrace held in Lung Kong villege in the Shun Tak district, and the people present were upwards of 7,000 Speeches were made by several gentlemen over the Japanese boycott agitation and they were foll wed with applause At the meeting the people declared their adhesion to the boycott movement and expressed their p casure at being able to purchase nutive-made articles of daily necessity. The perple of the village were mostly sirk. physical, should they survive. Yours, it's the question of finding means to improve their

The Colini ! (Victoria B. C.) has this to say on kind. And this from a man whom we all ep. | covered than the Stanley began to tollow there deavoured to bonour during the low days he little bit from the path of straightforward, possession pleasusmity of stologives without a Ripling of rather putting it with the red back to the Rock Still passisting that halk permit from the police of the debing in the man mouth of one of the imaginary acquaintage, refusal, the Chinese on the Hoak carabe acres

CORRESPUNDANCE. (We do not necessarily endors the opinions expre by Correspondents in this delused I F.

CHINE'S CAMEN

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGROUD TRLEGRAPM." DEAR SIR -With reference to the correspondence sent you yesterd ty ou the subject o the Merchant Shipping Act, 19 6, an effort in advertently crept into one of the letters. I shall therefore be much obliged if you will kindly give further publicity to enclosed letter which now contains the necessary correction. Yours faithfully.

W. E. NICHOLSON for Secretary

Chamber of Commerce Houghong, oth May, 1008.

Chamber of Commerce

SIR .- I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of atst instant (No. 3 73/1938) in which you refer to a provision in the imperial Merchant Shipping Act 1900 against the emplayment of seamen on British Ships unless they pos ess a sufficient knowledge of English to understand the necessary orders, and forther, in which you phint out the non-application, of this proposed regulation to British subjects.

In the opinion of my Committee the inclusion of such a clause in the local Merchant Shifts ping Ordinance, and its enforcement, wantle practically compet the first of British Coasting Vessels engaged in the China trade to go out of Commission, for reamen and firemen with the qualification required are unobtainable, and the proof of British cit zanship necessary to obtain exemption from the test cannot be given. for the very good reason that probably ninetynine out of every hundred men so employed are the subjects of the Emperor of China.

I am diected to inform you that " No. 1 " Chinese who do speak sufficient Hoglish are in charge of the natives working in every department on atcamers carrying Chinese crews, and these men are the medium for conveying orders by the British Officers to the sailors, firemen.

My Committee cannot loo strongly support. the opinion and endorse the action taken in the malter by dis Excellincy as stated in the last paragraph of your letter.

I am to ask you to convey to His Excellency the Governor the thanks of my Committee for affording them, an opportunity of expressing

(Sgd), E. A. M. WILLIAMS,

Secretary. SANITATION AND FOOD TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONOKONG TELEGRAPH," Mr. What we get may be more important than where we live, or who our parents are. Fond makes the man, not heredity, no environ/ meat. The badly-fed or under-fed baby quick) departs from the normal. Imbecility, crine, pauperism, all are directly dusto the lack of food or its poor quality during the postic years, 7he nervous, irritable, half-ill children to be found, in such large numbers in our public schools. represent poor material. They are largely drawn from the homes of poverty and constitute an overwhelming majority of those children for, whom we have found it necessary to make: special provision—the backward, dull pupils found-year af or year in the same-grades with much younger children. In a measure, the relation of a child's educability to its physical health and comfort has been recognised by the correlation of physical and mental exercise in most up to date schools, but its larger Bocial and economic significance has been almost wholly ignored. And yet it is quite certain that poverty exercises the same retarde: ing influences upon the physical training as upon mental education, There are certain

conditions precedent to successful education. whether physical or mental, chief among these being a reasonable amount of good, nourishing food and a healthy home. Deprived of these; physical or mental development must necessarily be hindered. And poverty means just that to the child. It denies its victim these very necessities, with the inevitable sesuitphysical and mental weakness and inefficiency. Sanitary conditions do not make any real difference at all. It is food, and food alone, That the evils, of under-feeding are intensified when there is unhygicaic serrounding is true. but it is equally true that defect in the diet is the prime and essential cluse of the excessive death rate among the children of the poor, and of those infantile diseases and ailments which? make for defective adults, motal; mental or

> RECALCIZRANT JUNKMEN TENDER STANLLY'S EXPERIENCE

Kowloon, joth May,

L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S. L.M.

For keme time past it has been considered. the question of servants in British Columbia :- | advisable to provide moorings at Gap Rock for We should not care to say that there are not | the Government tender . Stanley when rought some women in British Columbia who find weather prevails. Up to the present sime berge their health undermined by house work be- is no anchorage for the tender anywhere many cause they are meable to get servents. We the lighthouse, and it was decided to provide suppose that is true the world over. But we suitable moorings Alan carly brurys leiday do most emphasically deby that the evil is any morolog the Stanley lest the harbour for Gant greater than anywhere rife and we condemn | Rock to do some work in connection withy as infamously false the statement that the lack the laying of the proposed mooring a Spar Chinese-servante la productive of insanity took a junk in tow, the latter carrying among the women of Brillin Columbia. A two sinkers and moorings. Upon arr ying at grosser or more judeleus bie slauder was never | Gap Rock the junkmen were proceed to staying ditered. I hick of word being sentall around work. This did not please them and come? be world that in this province women are plance with the order was relosed point blank ? being broken in bealth and drived insans for On being remonstrated with the sallow made be lack of Chinese servants of servants of any, tracks for Liongkong, No spacer was this diame trail of the pative craft and povertaking her spent is the province Again was find took the junk in tow The Sealer them means A MEDICE LOT OF THE REPORT OF THE PARTY OF T

RIOT NEAR FOOCHOW. DISTURBANCE SUPPRESSED.

[By courtery of the " Shoung Po."].

Foochow, 29th May.

In reference to the riot at Siu-an, General Hung Wing-on, who led the Government troops thither, has successfully put down the disturbance.

THE YUNNAN RISING. GUARDING THE FRONTIER. [By courtesy of the "Sheung Po."]

Peking, 29th May.

Imperial instructions have been despatched to the Governor of Kweichow to have troops held in readiness to prevent any attempt on the part of the anti-monarchists in Yunnan at crossing the frontier.

RETRENCHMENT.

ABOLITION OF SINECURES. [By courtesy of the "Sheung Po."]

Peking, 29th May.

The Board of Civil Affairs has decided to effect retrenchment, from the 5th moon, in salaries of officials and the abolition of sinecures.

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President Fallieres' Visit to England.

LONDON, 78th May.

M. Pichon, accompanied by M. Cambon, had an hour's interview with Sir Edward Grey, at the Foreign Office, and found that they agreed on all political questions.

Sir Edward Grey entertained President Fallieres at dinner in the Foreign Office the Prince and Princess of Wales and Mr Asquith were present.

After dinner Their Majesties and President Fallieres attended a gala performance of the Opera, which was a bower of roses and a blaze of diamonds.

The Indian Frontier Campaign. Reuter's Simia correspondent wires that the campaign on the Indian frontier is practically over, the Brzais being the only section of the Mohmands who are still obstinate.

The troops return on the 1st June.

Great Britain and France. The suggestion of an Anglo-Frenchalliance has been generally discussed by the London papers, the idea being unanimously disapproved.

Prince Fushimi in London. Prince Fushimi, who was accompanied by Baron Komura, was yesterday received in audience by His Majesty King Edward.

Russian Naval Disaster. The Russian battleship Feter the Great went ashore on a reef at Reval, and is badle

The Chinese Railway Loan. The new Chinese 5% Railway loan has been largely ever-subscribed.

The quotation on the closing of the list stood at three quarters per cent. premium

TICKETS ON SALE IN OSAKA.

We (Japan Chronicle) learn from the Osaka

THE COTION YAKE LOTTERY SCHEME.

Asaki that prize tickets issued at Shanghai in connection with the Japan Cotton Spinners' lottery scheme are being imported into Japan. Our Osaka contemporary maintains that there can be no doubt that the issue of the tickets has done something towards the improvement of the market, a d the second issue of the tickets is now being distributed. The tickets are being extensively sold from the consuming districts. in Osaka, and the Asahi maintains that these prize tickets, being in the nature of lottery

tickets, should not be sold in Japan. The Osaka journal points out that in particular when the tickets are sold alone, independent of Fusen, where arrangements are made for recelving the prizes for those numbers which may is said to range from Y2.20 to Y2 10.

other abuses in the part caught fire by some P. lice have not succeeded in discovering cases. firm in Newchwarg, dealing largely in beans departure of adding lot the Iron during it

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COMMERCIAL WBERLY SHARE REPORT.

Reviewing the share business for the week, Messrs. E. S. Kadcorie & Co. write on the 29th

There has been a slightly bealthler tone in the local share market during the week under review, and rates in some instances have shown an improvement, although the volume of busi-

ness transacted has not been considerable. Banks,-in Hongkong and Shanghai Banks, a further substantial rise has set in, and after numerous sales reported at various rates from \$720, rule steady at \$750. The London rate has improved to £76. Ibs. od.

Marine Insurances .- Cantons are still on offer at \$135 and North Chinas at \$771 Unions have probable buyers at \$795. Yangtszes have strengthened to Tis. 1521 in the

" Fire Insurances .- China Fires are firmer and have buyers at Son Hongkong Fires can probably be secured at \$315.

Shipping.-There are sellers of China and Manilas at \$16, but bayers are not forthcoming. Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboats are firm at \$252, while Shell Transports remain quiet and without business to report at 45/. Star Ferries old and new have declined to \$25 and \$15 respectively/ex the dividend of \$1 per share on the old and so cents per share on the new shares, paid on the 17th inst.

the reduced rate of \$125, after sales. Luzons formidable competitors in the China market have changed bands at \$114, during the week and at the close rule steady at \$22. Perak Sugars can be placed in the North at Tis.

in the North at Tis." 154." Raubs are slightly Pincrease in the price of Japanese yarn. The easier and can be obtained at \$81. From pri- quantity and value of Japanese yarn exported vate telegraphic advices received from Singa- to China during the last five years will be seen pore we learn that the crushing for the past period of four weeks yielded 921 oz. gold from 5,480 tons stone, and by cyanide process, tot

Docks. Wharves and Godowns.-Kowloon Wharfs have changed hands during the early steady at the latter rate. Whampoa Docks are at Tis. 226.

Land, Hotels and Buildings .- Hongkong themselves :-Lands continue on offer at \$100, without inducing buyers. Humphreys Estates are in further demand at \$10 and Kowloon Lands at \$16. Shanghai Lands have sellers in the North at Tls. 119.

Cotton Mills.—Rwos can be placed in the North at Tis. 5', while Hongkong Cottons have local buyers at SII. In the North, Internationals have risen to Tis, 62, and Lau Kung Mows are in demand at Tls. 771.

at Sil, and Hongkong Electrics have inquiries | China has been making much prog essite at \$15%. Hongkong Ropes have buyers at the recent years. The fate of this progress may by the steamer, so that great numbers of the request at Sig. Langkats are on offer in late war owing to the suddenly-increased

Shanghai is 744.

Dividends Layable. - Watsons-final of 3% = 30 cents per share for 1907, payable to-morrow, Lunguats-Second interim of Tis. to for 1908, payable in Shanghai on the 15th prox.

YARN MARKET.

In their report dated 20th instant, Messrs Phirozsha P. Petit & Co. write:--

Our last circular was dated the 15th inst. Throughout the past fortnight market he ruled firm and, with steadiness in exchange and regularity in demand, checked here and there by the somewhat unsettled condition the neighbouring province of Yunnan owing to the recrudescence of anti-monarchism, prices have gone up one dollar in almost all counts. This advance in rates does not apply to No. 10s, which has gone back one dollar from last mail's quotations; this recession is due to

largeness of stock." Native reports, bath official and unofficial, concur as to the repression of the insurgents, unwonted activities in Yunnan, With normal conditions restored and an inflow of ready cash by reason of the reported bountiful second silk crop in Kwanginng, there is every reason to view with much optimism the immediate future prospect of the yarh market. Eliminating the uncertain and fluctuating factor of exchange which seriously disturbs the even tenor of trade in the Indian commedity, there is no reason why demand should not be brisk even though a marked advance in prices be not established. At the present time stocks, as compared with previous years, are in favour of creating a demand in response to legitimate inquiries

Thanks to the solicitude of a responsive Government the representations of the Chamber of Commerce against the now notorious lottery scheme of the Japan Cotton Spinners! Association evoked a communication from the Colonial yarn, the transaction becomes purely a lottery. Secretary of Hongkong to the Japanese Consul-It is stated that a secret office is established at | in which it was pointed out that the issue of lollery tickets in bales of yarn constitutes an infringement of the local Gambling Ordinbe entitled to prizes. The price of the tickets apec and the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha and other importing Impirese firms have been warned accordingly, It is to be inferred that the Owithe hight of the 17th instant, two tows of Police have had instructions to seize any illicit houses, including the official quarters of the Importations, for the Colonial Secretary's letter Outkan Shoren Kalsha, at Chemulpo, were of the 18th inst. to the Chamber of Commerce decroyed by fire. Doring the same night two | concludes, with the information that

I arrive in Idea July god Avenut

No 201 - A fair business transpired to select ed threads at an advince of \$1 per bale. No. 16s .- Attracted the attention of buyers, and cheap but selected threads moved freely

No 121.- la some lavour. Sales are report. ed at an advance of St per bale. No. 101.-Ruled sather weak, and in many instances prices receded \$1. Nos. 8s. and 6s.—No business reported.

The market closes firm. Sales; -2 900 bales of No. 101., 950 bales of No. 225, 1, 100 bales of No. 165, and 1,125 bales of No 201; in all about 6,075 bales.

Arrivals: Por steamors Arratoon Apcar, Lightning and Fooksang (from Calcutta), and Trieste (from Bombay) of about 3,000 bales. Unsold Stock :-- About 20,000 bales.

Uncleared Stock :-- About 23,0.0 bales. Exchange :-- We quote to-day as follows :--

lodia T. T. at Rs. 1316 par cent. Demand 17 135 London T. T. Sb. 1.981.=5 Demand .. .. 1.9.7/16d ==\$ ... Silver ...... ..... 24fd. per nz.

JAPANESE COTTON STINNING.

SURVEY OF THE CHINA TRADE.

The Tokyo Asaki reverts to a discussion of the cotton spinning industry and the future of the yarn trade in China. The price of Japanese yarn is largely regulated according to the Refineries.—China Sugars are in demand at prospects of its China trade, and Japan's most are Indian and Chinese yarns. The restriction of production by the Japanese ap nners will not only reduce the supply in China but the shortage will have to be supplied by Indian Mining.-Chinese Engineerings can be sold | and Shanghai yarn, Nor will it result in an |

from the following figures :--1903..... 831,4c6 piculs 20,759,664 taels: 1904..... 638,729 , 15,973,390 ,, 1905..... 681,142 17,791,368 ., 1906..... 654,371 16,649,172 1907..... 571,604 19

part of the week at \$521, and later at \$51, closing | As shown above, the export of yarn has greatly. decreased during the five years under review, in demand at.\$103, but none are obtainable, not because of the diminution of the demand Shanghai Docks are a firmer market with in China, but for other reasons. The following buyers ruling at Tls. 87, and Hongkow Wharfs | figures, showing the amount of Indian yard imported to Ghina of late years, speak for

1902..... 1,887.036 piculs 41,050,166 taels. 1904... .. 6:8,783 ,, " 4",973,399 ... 1925 ..... 18,6,846 ... 47,556,392 ... 1906 .... 1,840,235 ... 46,11 9,724 ... 1907..... 1 893,894 ....

As will be seen from the ab ve, India is supplying to China three times as much yarn as comes from Japan, and there is a tendency lowards a yearly increase in India's supply. Miscellaneous.-China Borneos are steady | Besides, the manufacture of cotton yarn in the North at Tls. 5:0, and Sumatras at Tls. 92%. domestic demands. Now that the requirements Exchange.-The Banks selling rate on Lon- of the home market have been satisfied don is 1/9 7/16 on Demand. The T / I. rate on | behoves the cotton spinners to exert themselves to recover their lost ground in China.

journal continues, that the Japanese spinning which should be attacked strepuously. The England, America, and other countries vs. shown below:-

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1004	14.701,783	12,783,917	34,729,093
1005	24,671,757	42,538,548	44,333,71
1906	17,758,639/	28,422,473	_38,77,23(
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be only 5 or 6 per cent of the total amount the amount of cotton yarn and piece goods, either imported to China or manufactured by by primitive methods in that country. When everything is taken into consideration, the wellnigh limitless nature of the demand that exists. for these goods in China may well be imagined. As the producing capacity of the Japanese mills will be nearly doubled when the work-of extension now in progress or under contemplation is completed, concludes the Avall, it is desirable that the spinners should move more actively and wandon the negative policy they are pursuing .- Japan Carontela.

NEWS has reached . Yokobama to the effect that Shing York Co. A promisent Colors | Crowdel A lings ber the accompany paragraph wisens. Happily the fire was dis- of such issue of lottery tickets as yell and bearcase has falled at the paragraph that the present the fire was dis- of such issue of lottery tickets as yell and bearcase has falled at the paragraph that the covariation to the settlements reported within a paragraph and a number of an analysis of the settlements reported within a paragraph and a number of an analysis of the settlements reported within a paragraph and a number of an analysis of the settlements and a number of an analysis of the settlements and the settlements are settlements are settlements. the distres were extragaleted before much was effected for forward delivery shipments to cake importers the base effected by

To-dan's Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION HE Undersigned have received instructions

PUBLIC AUCTION, FOR ACCOUNTY OF THE CONCERNED,

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A STEAM TRAWLER BURNT. Japanese rapers have been devoting much spice 40 a strange affair at Choshi. From a lengthy translation in the Japan Times we learn that on the 27th May 6 ft hermon ranging from 20 to 25 years in age are to be publicly tried in the Chiba Local Court on a charge of incendiarism, they having set fire to the steam traw er Kaiko Maru and burnt a part of the upper deck and the large fishing net. It appears that along the seishore of Choshi for Hongkong. about ten ri there stretches a fishing village where about 3:400 fishermen live. The present prosperity of Choshi is principally owing to the long-standing fishing enterprise of the village, but to the fishermen's surprise in November last a modern steamer equipped with up-to-date fittings appeared off the Choshi shore and commenced fishing there, employing the landt English trawling system, under which a large net is set fir off in the offing and drawn

reduced rate of \$35. China Light and Powers be gathered from the fact that the out-lurn in his are caught. The quantity caught by the have been booked at Sol. Union Waterboats China, which only amounted to 170,000 bales stoamer is said to exceed that obtained by one have weakened to \$11, closing with buyers. prior to the Russo-Japaness wat, bad increased bundred fishermen by their primitive methods. Peak Tramways (fully paid) and Green Is- to 320,000 bales in 1907. The reason for the Besides, the large net while being drawn land Cements have found buyers at \$14 and decline of the export of Japanese yarn must be catches shells and seaweed containing num-Sich lesp cively. William Powells are in fur- attributed to the neglect of exporters during the berless eggs of fish. Often, too, the fishermen's topes laid at the bottom of the sea were cut by the steamer and drifted away. This naturally caused anger amongst the fishermen of the village. For day by day the haul of their fishing decreased, and in the course of one Past experience has shown, the Tikyo month many of the men became unable to carn enough even to cover their expenses and industry has made an advance not in times of were consequently obliged to stop going out to prosperity but in times of tradal depression, sea, some of them being brought to the verge The falling-off of the export of yard of late of starvation. Having appealed in vain to the years is to a large extent due to the relaxation owner of the trawler, Mr Murakami, the Fisherof proper efforts owing to the great prosperity | man's Union appointed delegates to petition experienced during the war. Now is not the the authorities to prohibit the continuance of time, therefore, for a conservative policy re- the Raklo Mara's fishing, stating in detail the garding the restriction of production, but it Afficult position in which the fishermen and certainly is a time for active aggression. local fishmongers were placed. The petition, Further, it may be shown that it is not only signed by 308 fishermen, was duly tendered to for yarn but also for cotton piece goods that the Chiba Prefectural Office on December 16 h. there exists a most promising market in Chica, | but at the end of a month no answer had been received and the fishermen became desperate, importation of cotton goods to China from It was then that the six prisoners, preferring honourable suicide to igeo ninious starvation, resolved to take the law into their hands. On the night of Jan. 26 the youths put out in a small boat from the Shinsho'shore, provided with a box of kerosene and a quantity of colton, and steered toward the mouth of the River Tone, where the Kaiko Moru lay at anchor. With desperate courage the youths leaped on board the steamer, and, arousing the crew fithe vessel, declared that they bad come to burn the steamer and rescue the three thousand I fishermen. The craw were terror-stricken. The youthe deliberately burnt the great net and a part of the upper starboard deck, Directly they had disabled the ship they quitted ber with a triumphant war cry and ran to the local police station, where they stated what they had done. After the preliminary examination they were transferred to the court import. It should also be noted that besides i by train, mearly all the fishermen and local shopkeepers going to the station to bid them farewell. Among these were the modern process there, there is also a large sighty young men who secretly formed a league quantity of yarn and fabrics that are turned out to wrest the prisoners from the hands of the police, declaring that the six youths alone should not be sacrificed for the benefit of the whole community. 7 he chief of the Choshi Police, alarmed at the report, ran to the station in person and by entreaties barely dissuaded them from the desperate act. The station

that their object was foldiled. The train, it

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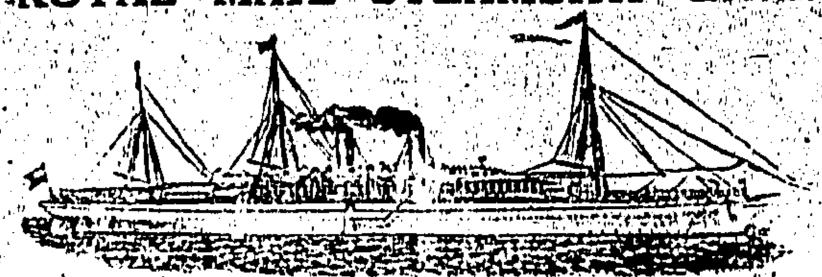
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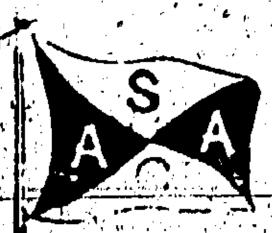
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Almond-Hung Yan.....

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Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong..... Mango, Saigon-Sai Kung Moong ...... Mangosteens, San Chuk Tss per 100' ..... \$3.60 Oranges, Tim Chang ... Small-Tai Kut ......catty " Mandarin-Tim Kut Passion Fruit ..... each

Pears, (American)-Kam San Shut Li & (Canton), Cooking-Sa Li ..... 20 " (Shanghai)-Sheung Hoi Li ..., Persimmons, Large,—Hung Chie..... Pine-apples, 1st quality-Shoung Poon: 

and cooking—Chung-tang Paw-low ...... Platains—Tai Chiu Pumelo, Siam-Chim Lo Yau .....each 5 x 19751 Green-Sang Hop Tou 

VEGETABLES, &C.

Artichokas, Shanghai, -- Sheung Ho: Ah Chi Chauk Beans, (French) Macao-Oh Moon Pin' 

Beans, (French), Shanghai-Shoung Hoi Pin. Tau Beans, Sprout-Ah Chol..... Beans, Long-Tau Kok ..... Best Root-Hung Chol Tau..... each Brinjals, Green-Cheng Yuen Ker ..... Brinjals, Red-Hung Ker ..... Brassica-Pak Choi......

Cabbage, Chinese, com.-Kai Choy..... 5 Cabbage, Red-Kai Lan Tau .....cachi 🗓 ----Cane Shoots, bunch—Kau Shun Couliflower, Large size-Tai Yeb Choi 1972 801 

Choj-fa .....esch Cauliflower, Small size-Sai Yeh Choi-fa 2010 1111 Carrots-Kam Shun Celery, Chinese-Tong Kan Choy Celery, English-Young Kan Choi Celery, White-Pak Young Kan Choi, Chillies, Dried-Con Lat Chiu

.. Red-Hung Fa Green-Cheng Lat Chiu ........ Curry Stuff, English-Ka Lee Choi Liu Cucumbers-Cheng Kwa Bitter Squash—Fu Kwa ..... Garlic-Suen Tau. Ginger, young-Sun Tas Keung ...... old-Lo Keung ..... Horse Radish, Shanghai-Lik Kan ... b

Cauliflower, Medium size-Choung Yeh 12-4-33

Indian Corn-Suk Mai ......piece Lettuce-Young Sang Choi ......cach Water Chesnuts-Ma Tai Musk Melon Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho.....

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Green Peas-Chong Tau..... Shanghai-Sheung Hoi Shu Tani / ...... Japan-Yat Poon Shu Tsai ... American-Fa Ki Foochow-Fuk Chau Shu Tani

Macao-Oh Moon Pampkin-Toong Kwa Radish-Hung Lo Pak Tsai Rhubarb ...... Shalots—Con Chung Tau
Spinage (Chinese)—Paw Choi Spinach-Yin Choi

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Magekong, sand May, 1908,

### JAPANESE PRESS; COMMENT.

Japanese i uin ils devole much attention to the revolutionary outbreak in Yunnan, which is led by the notorious Sun Yat-sen, and regard it as by far the, most important of similar outbreaks that have occurred in China in recent years. The Wippon, editorially treating the subject, writes that Sun must not be looked upon in the light of an ordinary chief of brigands or desperadoes who abound in China. He has a fixed principle for the pursuance of which he follows determined methods. The present outbreak in Yunnan is nothing but the outcome of the plans he has elaborated during the past ten years. Most of the sympathisers "or supporters of Sun Yat-sen live abroad, and these people are ever ready to furnish him with the sinews of war or to assist him in other ways. Herein lies the reason of the long-enduring nature of his scheme as well as the reason that his movement, though actually started, cannot be pushed home with that actiwity and rapidity that would be possible if he had his supporters in China instead of out of. the country. The Chinese Government, on the other hand, however hard it may strive, can hardly stamp out the revolutionary clements effectually, for the reason that their root exists out of China. Thus the revolutionary movement in China retains its vitality in spite of the vigorous crusade carried on by the Rimford, for Pakod te Governm:nt.

Meanwhile, there has been a considerable accession in the ranks of the revolutionary agitators, continues the Nippon. Kwangsi and Kwangtung are now generally conceded as the spheres of their influence, while Yunnan and Rueichow, which border on the above two provinces, will naturally become the stage of revolutionary activity. It would be no exaggeration to say that China is secthing with the discontent of those who are not satisfied with the existing order of things in their country, and these people, though they may not agree with the principles and policy followed by Sun Yat-son and his co-workers, may quite possibly join hands with the latter if there are prospects of success by their so doing. Here is danger for the reigning government of China. Whether or not the revolutionists with ultimately accomplish the end they aim at will largely depend on the time during which the Chinese Government carries out political reforms. If the latter is achieved before the revolutionary agitation assumes serious dimensions it will naturally die out, as there will be no necessity for the people to support disorder in face of satisfaction given them. It is to be hoped, concludes the Tokyo journal, that China will carry out the necessary reforms with as little loss of time as possible so that a wholesale revolution and the consequent misery may. be averted .- Japan Chronicle.

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THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY THERAPION

### Shipping.

Hongwan I. Br. s.s., 2,067, Hainsworth, 20th May, Penang 2018 May, and Singapore 23rd, Gen.-Joo Teak Sing. Kwangtah, Ch. s.s., 1,536, Wm. H. Lunt, 29th May, Shanghai 6th May, Gen. -C. M.

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### Deraringes

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Courtfield, Br. s.s., 4,897. J. Wiseman, 25th May,-Moji 20th May, Coal,-M. B. K. Drufar, Nor. s.s., 1,102, J. Bing, 25th May,-Bangkok iBih May, Rice and Gen .- B. &

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Germania, Ger. s.s., 765, H. Plugel, Bth May,-Sydney via Ports 6th April, Copra. Halphong, Fr. s.s., 500, Pomfret, 22nd April,-

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Marie, Ger. s.s., 1,169, P. E. Christiansen, 26th May,-Salina Cruz acth April, Ballast,-C. C. S, 4. Co.

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Merapi, Dut. s.s., 1,597, E. Uldall, 26th May, -Singapore 19th May, Gen.-Kin Tye Saigon 22nd May, Rice,-H. A. L.

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Pitsanulok, Ger. s.s., 1,700, T. Heyenya, 25th 24th, Rice and Timber.-B. & S. Pheumpenh, Br. 2.2., 1,065, J. H. Scott, 25th

Shawmut, Am. s.s., 6,195, Roberts, 26th May -Seattle 21st April, and Manila 24th May, Gen.-D. & Co., Ld.

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TO MOKROW St. John's Cathedral 31st May, Sunday after Ascension Day.

Holy Communion 7.30 a.m. Matina z ram. Responses: Festival, Venite: Macfarran, Pealms : of the grat morning. (Chants joth day), Te Deum: Lawer, Cooks, Hopkins, Banadictus: Troutbock, Holy Communion is noch, Kyrie i Smart in

F., Hymna': 147, 207 and 316. Evensong 5.45 p.m. (Full Choir), Responses: Festival, Psalms; of the 31st evening, (Chants 30th day), Magnificat; Nunc Dimittis: Wesley in F., Anthem: "The Radiant morn," Woodward, Sevenfold Amen, Preacher: Rev. C. E. Thompson, B. A., Voluntary : Choral Song & Fugue, Wesley. N.B.-Psalm 147, Verses 1, 7, 12, 18 in unison,

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Hymn 147, ..., 1, 3, St. Peter's Church.

Sunday After Ascention, Holy Communion 7.30 a.m. Morning Prayer II a.m., Venite, Macfarren; To Doum, Oakeley; Benedictus, Garrett; Hymns, 145, 172, 523 and 143, Kyris. Evening Prayer, 6.30 p.m., Magnificat, Robin-

Queen's Road West.

ton; Nune Dimittie, Anon; Hymne, 203, 147, 262 and 111. The Church launch Dayspring will call on ships carrying white crews to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.90 a.m., and between 5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloom Police Pier, 10.30 and o p.m.). returning afterwards. All the sittings are free and unapproprinted. Visitors welcome. Books, &c.,

Sunday school 10 to 10.45 a.m.

Roman Catholio Cathedral: Mass at 6 a.m. 7 a.m., 8 a.m., and 9.30 a.m. Henediction 5.30 p.m. 🔠

German Bethesda Chapel, West Point!-Morning Service, 11 a.m. St. Francis' Church, Wanchalt -Mass (CAIN), 6 a.m. (Port.), 7.30 a.m. Benediction, 5 p.m. St. Joseph's Church. Garden Road:--Morning

Service (English), .to a.m. St. Anthony's Chapel, West Point: - Mass.

The Rossry Church, Kowloon-Every Sunday, Mass at 7.30 a.m., and Mass, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, at 9 a.m. Union Church: -- Services, 1x a.m., and 6 p.m.

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Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per Bunjan Matu, 2nd-June, 9-4-4,-Keelung, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokkaichil Shimidzu, Yokohama, Honolulu and ian Francisco-Per Tenyo Maru, 2nd June.

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	BANKS.			-		ACCOUNT.		GURYATION. BAREDON LAST YEAR'S DIV.	QUOTATIONS
	Hongkong & Shanghal Banking Corporation	120,000	\$125	\$125	\$13,500,000 \$13,500,000 \$250,000	\$2,000,387	Final of £2 on old and £1.10/- on now shares for \ year ending 31.12.07	5 <b>%</b>	{\$750 London £76.10
	National Bank of China, Limited	e 99,925	£7	£6	{ £12,735 \$300,000		S3 (London 3/6) for 1903		Str
1	Canton Insurance Office, Limited	O <b>,000</b>		S50	\$1,560,000 \$a19,058	none	Sao for 1006	83 1	
11.	North China Insurance Company, Limited	10,000	£15	£5	Tis. 100,000	Tis. 204,424	Interim of 7/6 ex 2/5% for 1907		\$235 sellers Tis. 771
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1. •	Union t ance Society of Canton, Limited	12,400	\$250	Stoo	\$456,407 £125,137.15/ \$434,434	12,506,011	SFinal of \$15 making \$45 for 1966 and } Interim of \$30 for 1907	53 %	\$795
	Yangisze Insurance Association, Limited	12.000	\$100	\$60	\$1,000,000	591,763	S12 and bonus \$3 for 1905	91 %	\$152}
لہ	China Fire Insurance Company, Limited		Stoo	\$20	\$1,000,000 \$346,007 \$13,802 \$1,323,941	\$372,432	\$6 and bonus \$2 for 1906	84 %	\$92 buyers
	Shirring.  China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited	30,000	\$250 \$25	\$50 \$25	\$7,000		\$27 for 1906		\$315
	Donglas Steamship Company, Limited	20,000	\$50	Sso	\$264,638 \$96,988 \$250,000	Nil.	54 for year ending 30.5.1 207	10 %	\$16 sellers \$40
	Hongkong, Canton & Macao Steamboat Co., Ld Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ld. (Preferred)?		\$15	\$15	\$75,000 \$75,279 \$20,000 £60,000	116,437	{ for year ending 31.12.07	72 %	Sagi buyers
•	Do. do. (Deferred) J. Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company, Limited	რი,იიი —ნა,იიი, 200,000 }			£270,000]	£3,094	5/- for 1966 @ ex 2/2}=\$2,24 per share .		<b>\$38</b> <b>\$24</b>
·'.	Lo. (Proference) "Shell" Transport and Trading Company, Limited	•	£x	£1	£400,000 £1,871 \$65,000	172,370	Second interim of 1/ (Coupon No. 9 for	tl 31.5	Tis. 44 soliera Tis. 51 sales -45/-
	Star" Fetry Company, L. meted	10,000	210	210	\$47,221 Tis, 98,000	\$98	{\$1.00} for year ending 30.4.19.8	·· { 4 %	\$25 ex div. \$15,ex div.
	Taku Tugʻand Lighter Cuarranyel amited	30,000	Tls, 50	Tis. 50	Tis, 62,000 Tis, 81,200 Tis, 30,000	18,730	Final of Tis. 2 making Tis. 6 for 1906	12} %	7 is. 49 setters
i Light •	China Sugar Refining Company, Lauted	\$0,000	f 100	\$100	£450,000	<b>S</b>	\$8 for year ending 31,12.05		\$125 buyers
• .	Luion Sugar Refining Company, Limited Perak Sugar Cultivation Company, Limited	7,000 7,000	\$100 T18, 50	'\$100 Tis, 50	none Tis, 100,000	T1s. 8,935	Fa for same		1 <sub>22</sub> Tis. 771 buyers
•	Mining. Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Ld	1,000,000	£1	Lz	{	£11,556	Interior of a 16 187 a. mai factor of		The state of the s
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Raub Australian Gold Mining Company, Limited	50,000 50,000	Žī.	18/10 £1	£4,873	. 611,358	Interim of 1/6 (No. 10, for account 1908  No. 12 of 1/-=48 ct ats	71 % 	Tis. 15‡ buyers \$8‡
•	DOCKS, WHARVES & GODOWNS.  Kenwick (Gen.) & Co., Limited	18,000	S25	\$25	£64,124				
•	Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld	62,000	\$50	150	{ 50,000 } {26,8.6}	•	\$1.75 for year ending 31.1 1.00		113
•	Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company, Ld	(0,000	\$50.	\$50	\$40,000} \$100,000} \$50,000	\$441,442	Final of \$2 making \$3 f r 1707		\$52 sales \$103 buyers
', ·	Shanghal and Hongkew Wharl Company, Limited		Tis. 100	l'is. 100	Tir. 697,257 Tis. 75,000	ls. 10,459	{ Interim of Tis. 2} for six months ending arst October, 1907	} 7 %	Tis. 87 buyers
	LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS.				Tls. 125,000}	l'is. 22 626	Final of Tis. 9 making Tis. 17 for 1907	71 X	Tis. 226 buyers
	Anglo-French Land Investment Co., Ld	25,000 30,000 50,123	Tis. 100 \$25 \$15	1'ls. 100 \$25 \$15	Tis. 25,000 \$30,000 \$1,000	Tis. 6,531 \$10,908	522 for year ending 30.6 oz	I 10+ Z	Tis. sco \$22} sellers
	Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	12,000 50,000	\$5a \$100	\$50 \$100	\$648,975 } 743,075 } \$250,000	\$9,178 \$252	Final of 131 making \$71 for 1907	7# X	512% sollers .95 sales
	Humphreys Estate & Finance Company, Limited Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited	150,000 6,000	\$10 \$50	\$10 \$30	\$217,426} \$50,000}	\$4,621	{Final of \$3\ making in all \$7 for year} ending 31.12.07	7 %	\$100 sellers \$10 buyers
	Shanghai Land Investment Company, Limited	78,000 12,500	Tis, 50	_	Tls. 1,523,045 } [ 1'ls. 170,000 }	Lis. 107,547	Sit for 1907	i i i i Zirono ayt aytesi	\$26 buyers Tis. 119 sellers
	COTTON MILLS.  Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ld				Tls. 150,000)	\$1,541'	Final of \$2.10 making in all \$4.10 for year anding \$1.12.07	81 %	\$48 sa. and b.
• ·	Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dycing Company, Limited	125,000	Tls. 50. \$10	Sto	Tis. 23,276 § \$60,000	T Is. 8,807 \$14,269	Tis. 25 for year ended 31.10.1907	42 %	Tis. 58 buyers
40 40 10 10 10	Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	8,000	Tls. 75 Tls. 100 Tls. 500	Tis. 75 Tis. 100 Tis. 500	Tis. 150,000 none Tis. 28,257	Tis. 85,519 _none	Tis. 6 for year ended 30,9.06 (8 %)	•	Tis. 62 buyers Tis. 771 buyers
· ·	MISCELLANGOUS, Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	8,604				Tis. 50,663	Tls. 50 for 1906	•••	Tis. 260 sellers
	China Borneo Company, Limited	50,000 50,000	\$12 \$10} \$10}	13/6 512 \$10 }	€1,299 \$25,000 - □ □ □ □ □ □	£638 Nil.	1/3 per share for 1906	. II Z	578 \$tx
•	Dairy Farm Company, Limited	125,000 25,000	SIO S71	\$10 \$6	\$120,000 \$60,000 }	\$25,000	80 cents for year ended 28.2.06	9 %	"S9 buyers
., .	Hall & Holtz, Limited	400,000 21,000	\$10 \$20	\$10 \$20	\$12,000 \$ \$12,000 \$186,000	\$2,974 \$5 078	S1.30 for year ending 31.7.07	324 %.	\$10}
	Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	5,000	\$10 \$25	\$10 \$25	none \$120,000	\$15,002 £9,321	\$22 for year ending 28.2.07	71 %	\$10 sellers \$15\$
• • •	ploitatic in Langkat, Limited  Poak Tramways Company, Limited	• •	\$10 Gs. 100 (	\$10 31. 100	\$100,000 Tis. 547,500 } Tis. 27,603 }	\$4,578 18,191 Tls. 17,127	Final of \$15 making in all \$19 for 1907 Final of \$1,20 making in all \$2 for 1907 Interim of Tls. 10 for 1st quarter	61 (	\$225 sales \$30 buyers
	Peak Tramways Company (new)  Philippine Company, Limited  Shanghai Gas, Company, Limited	25,000 50,000 75,000	\$10 \$10 \$10	\$10 \$1 \$10	\$5,000	\$7.314	2 St paid shares for year anding 30 4.08	4 %	) <b>5</b> 2
•)	Shanghai-Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited	*n *** ()_		lis. 50	Tls. 100,000	Nil. Tls. 6,603	Final of Tls. 4 making Tls. 71 for 1907	7 %	Tis. 109 sellers
	Shanghai Waterworks Company, Limited	16,350 6,000	£20	£20	Tis. 75,000 \$ Tis. 190,000	Tls. 8,493 Tls. 58 332	Final of Tis. 9 making in all Tis. 14 for 1907 Final of 37/6 making 52/6 for 1907		Tis, 913 sellers Tis, 375 sales
• •	Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	\$25 \$ 5 Fig. 100	\$ 5   S 5   Cle-100   }	Tle. 15,295 }	Dr. \$41,934 \$478	None	61 7	\$23 buyers \$6 sales
ST.	United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	\$0,000 IO,000	\$to \$to	\$10 \$4	Tis, 4,000 \$ none \$55,000	Tis, 201 \$111 \$7.460	Tis, 6% for year ending 30.4.07	41 X	Tik 27 sellers
	Watson, (A. S.) & Co., Limited	000,000	Sio Sio	\$10	\$300,000} \$25,000}	\$1,360 \$5,482	Interim of 30 cents for account 1907	61 %	\$13 \$10 buyers
			#40	210	Done	Sar	{Final of 30 cts. making 80 cts. for the } year ended 30th June, 1906}	•••	\$5 buyers
	* These shares are entitled to half of the profits.			•			DIVIDENDS PAYABLE :-		
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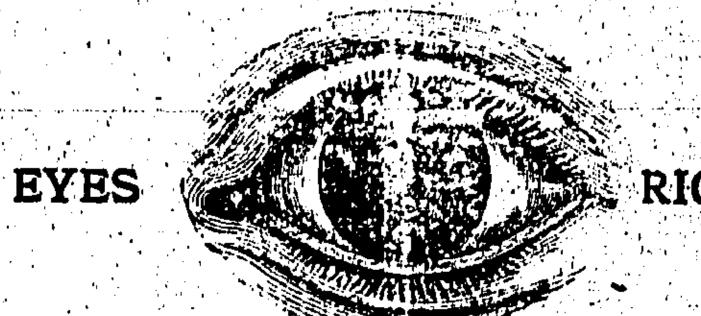
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